

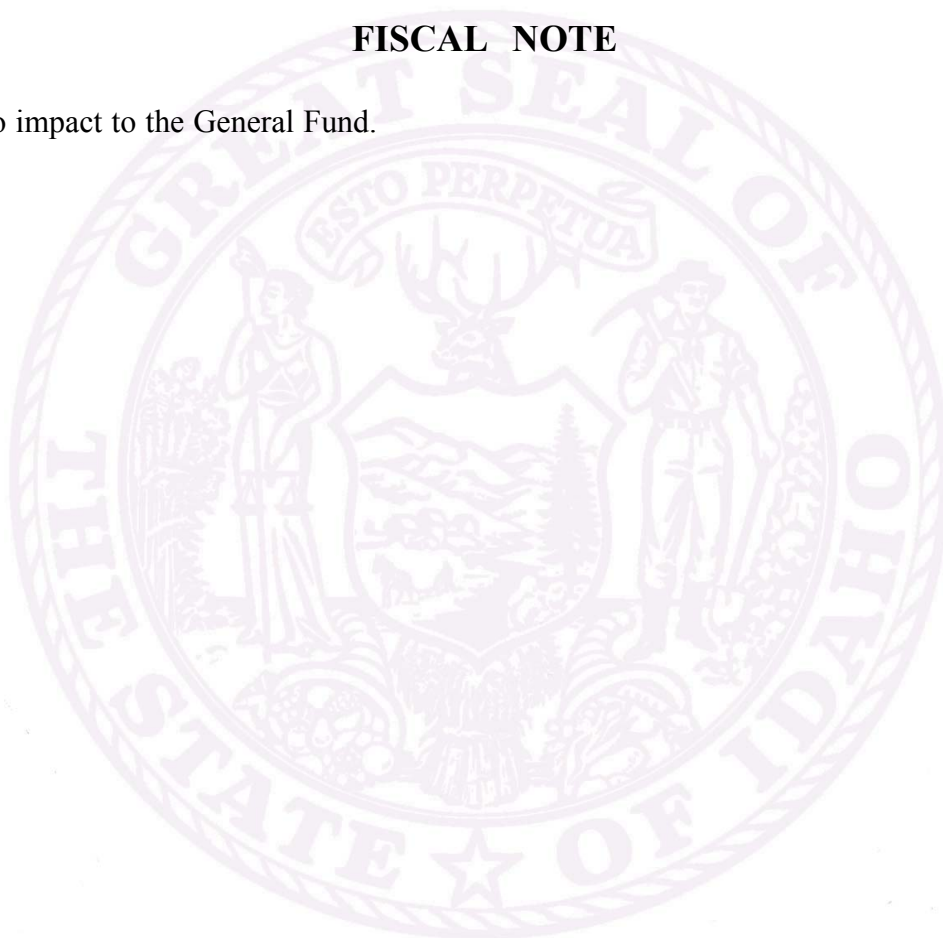
## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

### RS20504

As is the case with the overwhelming majority of states, Idaho utilizes a three-tier regulation system for licensed suppliers, distributors and retailers of beer and wine products. A critical component of the three-tier system is the "cash law" codified at Idaho Code § 23-1031 (beer) and Idaho Code § 23-1326 (wine). These sections prohibit the extension of credit for the licensed retail purchase of beer and wine products. This legislation amends these code sections to clarify that, if requested by a licensed retailer, a licensed brewer, wholesaler or dealer shall arrange for a prepaid deposit account for such purchases.

### FISCAL NOTE

There is no impact to the General Fund.

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